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TO AMEMBASSY DAKAR PRIORITY

AMEMBASSY ABIDJAN PRIORITY

INFO AMEMBASSY NOUAKCHOTT

AMEMBASSY BAMAKO

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS:

SUBJECT: UNICEF FOOD TRANSPORT

REF: (A) DAKAR 4596 (B) STATE 171551

1) REQUEST DAKAR REPEAT REF A TO ABIDJAN.

2) MALI CARGO TO BE DISCHARGED ABIDJAN NOT DAKAR REPEAT  
NOT DAKAR. THEN TO BE FORWARDED OVERLAND TO BAMAKO. HENCE,  
THIS NO CHANGE FROM PRESENT PROCEDURE FOR OTHER TITLE II  
CARGO DISCHARGED ABIDJAN FOR BAMAKO.

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3) RE MAURITANIA CARGO: UNICEF/NY HAS EXPRESSED WISH TO

ACCEPT CARGO NOUAKCHOTT; AID/W WILL HAVE CARGO BOOKED DIRECT WHENEVER POSSIBLE. HOWEVER, CARRIERS USUALLY UNWILLING ACCEPT DIRECT SHIPMENT, NOR TRANSSHIPMENT RISKS VIA DAKAR. IN MOST CASES, IT WOULD BE NECESSARY FOR DAKAR TO ARRANGE SHIPMENT TO NOUAKCHOTT BY SEA ONLY. CARGO DAKAR TO NOUAKCHOTT SHOULD NOT REPEAT NOT BE SHIPPED OVERLAND.

4) WE PRESENTLY HAVE SCHEDULED ON SS AFRICAN SUN LOADING 1 SEPTEMBER 299 MT SWEETENED ICSM DUE DAKAR 14 SEPTEMBER. MORE REFINED ETA TO BE PROVIDED FOLLOWING LOADING. BEFORE MAKING FIRM BOOKING COMMITMENT, IT IS REQUESTED DAKAR ADVISE PRIORITY OCEAN FREIGHT RATE, ESTIMATED HANDLING/PORT CHARGES. IF POSSIBLE, ALSO ADVISE SHIP NAMES/FLAGS FOR USDA CONCURRENCE.

5) ALTHOUGH AID/W WISHES MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO SEND MAURITANIA CARGO TO NOUAKCHOTT IN KEEPING WITH UNICEF/NY'S REQUEST, WE HAVE INFORMED UNICEF/NY THAT SOME CARGO MAY NECESSARILY HAVE TO BE CLAIMED BY UNICEF IN ROSSO WHEN LACK OF OCEAN SERVICE, COSTS, RISKS, ETC. DEEM THE NOUAKCHOTT SHIPMENT UNFEASIBLE. ADVISE PRIORITY PRESENT OVERLAND RATE TO ROSSO. KISSINGER

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